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AN ACT Relating to mitigating carbon dioxide emissions resulting from fossil-fueled electrical generation; adding a new section to chapter 70.94 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 80.50 RCW.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 70.94 RCW 6 to read as follows:

7 An air pollution control authority or the department may not 8 regulate or prohibit carbon dioxide emissions from fossil-fueled 9 thermal power plants or require mitigation of carbon dioxide emission 10 from fossil-fueled thermal power plants.

11 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 80.50 RCW 12 to read as follows:

The council may not regulate or prohibit carbon dioxide emissions from fossil-fueled thermal power plants or require mitigation of carbon dioxide emission from fossil-fueled thermal power plants.

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